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NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT  
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Date: January 26, 1967  
To: Director  
Bureau of Intelligence and Research  
Department of State  
From: John Edgar Hoover, Director  
Subject: MARTIN BORMANN  
INTERNAL SECURITY - GERMANY

At 2:30 a.m., January 21, 1967, a long distance telephone call originating at Mount Pleasant, Texas, was received at this Bureau from an individual who stated his name was Pierre DuPont and who identified himself as the personal secretary of Martin Bormann, the notorious former Nazi functionary. DuPont was in a highly emotional state but spoke coherently with no distinct accent except to pronounce his name as if he were French.

DuPont stated he desired to report that Bormann was dead. He claimed to have personal knowledge that Bormann had been shot by "one of his own men" on the Rio Playa in Paraguay, South America, at 3:00 p.m., January 17, 1967. DuPont declined to give any further details and hurriedly terminated the conversation.

Our files contain no information identifiable with DuPont. The above is furnished for your information and no investigation is contemplated by this Bureau.

1 - Director  
Central Intelligence Agency

Attention: Deputy Director, Plans

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